. Fine Dinners and Family Gatherings-Many Presentations. As far as noise was concerned this Christabout the most intense and longat ever experienced in Richmond. the energy with which those fireworks and general racket out on Christmas-eve it was at they would exhaust themselves mas night. Not so, however. It at there was a slight full about to for some little time thereafter,

> s morning broke warm and sultry shered in with a perfect fusillade ckers, mingled with which about were the notes of Centenary

emon of noise was only recu-

n order to break out afresh and

. little diversion until late that

wawoke late-or rather the city ate, for none slept except those a deaf or were tired out by trying

e much egghog. the noise, not to say revelry on the noise, not to say reveiry on s and much of the latter was en-ocent, there was an unusually tendance upon church services they were held. At these places a sermons appropriate to the an-were delivered, and as forecast by ammes published in the Disparcy

ort generally Thursday forenoon hants who had laid in Christmas that purchasing had not been a was generally the case on the Christmas, yet this falling off een compensated for after the for certain it is the giving of the season was never more uni-and in addition to this more a presents came into the city he mails and by express than known thus to be received be-

he o such consumption of piece has ever been previously here, there was not a single tre Christmas-eve or Christmas-hile the books of the station-nd observation on the streets at liquor was used a great deal serious disorder occurred etion it should be remarked appearances the ordinance for-e sale of liquor to minors was rictly complied with. THE HOTEL DINNERS. capal hotels of the city vied

the tempting array of viands out were not only enjoyed by dar bearders and the travelling t by numbers of especially inatherings for dinner constituted

throughout the city, and there is a private board, no matter how ad it, which was not pro Christmas-day, and about the harding of freworks.

THE POLICE PORCE. force, considering the terri had to cover, certainly deserve the manner in which they per-heir duty. Their lot for about hours was far from being a tinees at both places of amuse

person the process of a massive largely attended, and at the erformance at the Theatre there recularly pleasant incident, in as it was dark the children took in of the streets in the residential he cits and for several hours made easilized with the display of frequency across when they were not hed by older people, they carried out to a dangerous extreme by aim-man-candles and throwing pop-at each other. In most of the families of the city the children f the great anniversary being con-almost a necessity in the German

oung Men's Christian Association was pretty well filled throughout entire day. A large number of cers visited the building and were the Ladies' Auxiliary. The ladies at were Mrs. Rodgers (chairman). Schon, Miss Bass, and Miss Jennie John Griffith, of the University of

a, received a number of the s from the following colleges: nd, William and Mary, Randolph-and the University of Virginia. on, and the University of Virginia.

sociock in the evening the company red to the large hall, where they were rained with vocal and instrumental a. Solos were rendered by Messrs. Garvens and Horace F. Smith, and Shepherd Webb presided at the piano-entertainment closed about 10 o'clock, which refreshments were served by Intertainment Committee. A very and day was spent, and those who had a were highly rewarded.

size EXPENIETURES IN PIREWORES, a money has been expended on firein Richmond this Christmas than 
fore. At least this is what the 
say and what certainly appeared 
he case on the day of the great festirom early morning until nearly II 
at night the air was filled not only 
obse, but with the flames and colors 
y pyrotechnic inventions set off by 
of all ages and classes. Hockets, 
kers, baby-wakers, colored lights, 
hasers, toy cannon, and old pistols 
hemselves heard and seen, and one 
out walk ten feet without being apsays of some sudden and unlockedfosion. At times after dark the 
feet lighted in every direction and 
v locked very much as if a great 
yinion was sweeping it away. The 
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they managed to build several treas boothres, which made big blazes. 
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wastable ash-barrel was sacrificed 
the hungry flames. VISIT EXPENIETURES IN PIKEWORES,

the hungry flames. ONL-OFFICE AND EXPRESS-OFFICES. employees of the post-office have greatly rushed in the last two or days, and they say the Christmas were heavier this year than ever be-None of the men took holiday, but, e contrary, they exerted themselves han ever before in order not to get if the number of registered pack-ies been exceptionally large, while of all kinds has been handled. Adams Express Company have Adams Express Company have nearly 400,000 pounds of freight in

nearly 400,000 points of freight in two or three days, and as most of diles are small some idea of the complished by the company's em-may be imagized. Almost every ble article has passed through hids, and it would be interesting a note the many different kinds of The express people have deliver-aligators, snakes, deer, hogs, and ther of geese, ducks, turkeys, and a. The men have worked day and with untiring energy and cheerful-but the bulk of the freight is now f the way. Of course, a number of wagens have been put on, as there are y-two trains to be met every day, set adds to the packages to be dis-

the public schools closed on Thurs-the Christmas holidays, which will til Monday the 4th day of January,

teachers and pupils of Nicholson in Fulton, gave their principal, Mr. on O. Perkins, a very handsome par-ap, which was presented by Mr. C. iv, supervisor of schools, in a neat by Mr. Perkins responded very feel-

East-End, West-End, Baker, and Moore achools all received handsome and valuable presents from the teachers and publis in token of high appreciation of their management and uniform courtesy and kindness.

kindness.

Hon. J. C. Dickerson, President of the Board of Aldermen, was present at the Bellevue-School exercises and in a very folicitods manner presented the various gifts. gifts.

Major James H. Capers, of the Board, was also present and made a very happy address to the school.

At the Theatre Christmas night there was a scene that was not on the bills. Between the first and second acts of the play Mr. Charles H. Yale, manager for Gilmore's enterprises, on behalf of the attaches of the Theatre, presented to Mr. James R. Branch a gold-headed cane, and to Mr. Thomas Leath a gold match-hox. Mr. Branch responded for both in a neat speech, in which he not only thanked the attaches collectively but individually, stating that to their individualefforts was, he believed, due in large measure the popularity of the homes as a place of OTHER PRESENTATIONS.

popularity of the house as a place of amusement.

Mr. C. D. Wingfield, manager of the Crystal loe Company, was the recipient of a very handsome silver service for a Cristmas present, presented by the employees of the company.

A subscription was taken uplast week among the employees of the post-office in order to procure a sufficient sum of money to purchase Major Richard F. Walker, the popular superintendent, a handsome gold watch to be presented as a Christmas-gift. The letter-carriers were greatly disappointed after their scheme had almost fully matured to learn that such courtesies are positively forbidden by the rules of the department. Finding themselves thus handicapped, they could do nothing except extend their kindest wishes to the Major, who is universally liked by them.

#### DEATHS ON CHRISTMAS-DAY.

Funeral of Mr. Chas, Shead and Others. Mr. John J. Cannon, an old resident of air, John J. Vannon, an old resident of this city, died suddenly of paralysis Friday afternoon at his residence, Twenty-eighth and Broad streets. Though he had in former years been a sufferer from the dread disease, his death was entirely unex-nected, as only a few hours before he had been out upon the streets and was in the best of spirits. The attack which termi-nated in his denise was of very short dinnated in his demise was of very short du-ration—hardly ten minutes—and though Dr. Harrison was immediately summoned it was too late to render any medical as-

The deceased was in the sixty-sixth year of his age. He was for a long time one of the best-known politicians of Marshall Ward, and served for many years as regiswith the Stonewall brigade, and was in Company L of the Fifth Virginia reg-nent. He was subsequently transferred to the navy and surrendered at Greens-

f. C. eccased was well known and universally respected and beloved. He mar-ried Miss Mary E. Bryant, of Norfolk, and by this union there were four children, who survive him—tarce sons. Messrs. J. W., W., W., and C. E. Cannon, and a daughter. church, and the following gentlemen will act as pull-bearers: Mesers, John A. Cur-tis, John J. Mann, Daniel Higgins, T. A. Taylor, and Dr. L. C. Crump. MR. W. N. REDFORD.

Mr. William Nicholas Redford died Fri-day at 11:20 o'clock A. M., at his residence, No. 519 north Third street. Mr. Redford was born in Richmond and own account. He had been sick over weeks and had torne bis sufferings the greatest fortitude and patience, an the last kept up a stout he rt. Since illness his father-m-law, flex. Mr. Sweeney, had died in the same house.

death.

Mr. Redford was one of the most genial
and generous hearted of men and was deservedly popular with all who knew him.

something extra for Christmas, and large numbers of them reboxes. At the city jail tobacco was
used to the prisoners, and Sergeant
and a nice dinner for them.

THE DAY AT THE X. M. C. A.

Young Men's Christian Association

Young Men's Christian Association W S Robinson.

Mrs. Isabella Redford, reliet of Fred erick W. Redford, and mother of Mr. Chan ney E. Redford, died vesterday afternoo at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Joh H. Knowles, Jr., No. 1418 Floyd avenue. The deceased was in her eightieth year and was for many years a resident of Manchester. In that city and Richmond she had spent nearly her whole long and useful life. In addition to the abovenamed, Mrs. Redford leaves a daughter, Mrs. William R. Teller, of Pennsylvania. was a devoted mother and a sincer

The funeral will take place from Cen-tenary church to-day at 3:30 o'clock P. M. MISS KIREPATRICE.

Miss Nannie Jellis Kirkpatrick, daughter of the late Rev. John and Jane M. Kirk patrick, died at the residence of Mr. Jame P. Scott, No. 5 south Third street, yester day, in the sixty-first year of her age. The series will take place from Dr. Hoge's day, in the sixty-first year of no age.

tuneral will take place from Dr. Hone's
church at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The
following will act as pail-bearers: W. Marshall Parrish, B. B. Munford, George F.
Merrill, John K. Childrey, B. C. Wherry,
A. T. Miller, and James Jones.

FUNERAL OF CHARLES E. SNEAD. The funeral pf Mr. Charles E. Snead took place from Leigh-Street Baptist church yesterday morning at 41 o'clock. The services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Wright, assisted by Kev. Drs. Goodwin and Pitt.

Mr. John Pearman, of East-End church, sang a solo "Good-Night" and a solo was also rendered by Captain Frank Cunningham.

ham.

There were delegations present from Damon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of which deceased was a member, and the

Typographical Union.
Fire-Commissioners Frischkorn, Gentry, and Watt Taylor, and Chief Puller also at-

tended.
The deceased was a son of Assistant-Chief Snead, of the Fire Department, and was a most estimable and popular citizen. Death of Three Aged Women

Death of Three Aged Women.

There have been three deaths at the Little Sisters of the Poor in the last two days. All of the deceased were quite aged and all wereinmates of the institution. Bridget Bergan, the oldest, was said to be ninety-seven years of age. The other two who passed away were Camella Lemosy and Margaret Davis, aged rospectively, eighty-six and seventy-two years.

Danville and Terminal Matters. The Richmond and Danville's stock-holders' meeting adjourned to Tuesday next, which will be further adjourned to some date in January. It is believed that the Terminal, which controls the Richmond and Danville, will be ready to reorganize the board by the middle of January.

ber of geese, ducks, turkeys, and the men have worked day and the untiring energy and cheerful, the bulk of the freight is now the way. Of course, a number of agons have been put on, as there yetwo trains to be met every day, a gids to the packages to be discommendous amount of freight was indeed by the United States Express and the United States Express of the southern vice-president of the Terminal, was in the city Friday. He was cheerful over the New York outlook. It is now said to be certain that there will be no assessment on the Terminal stock, arrangements having, it is understood, been made to borrow all the money that is needed for the present.

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extended in their respective departments

A Small Fire on Foushee Street. The alarm of fire turned in at 9:20 last night from Station 15 was caused by the partial burning of the brick dwelling, No. 226 south Foushes. The fire, which is supposed to have been

The fire, which is supposed to have been of meendary origin, was first discovered under the basement steps of the house.

Companies 5 and 5 and Truck No. 3 responded to the alarm while Chief Puller directed the operations. In thirty-five minutes the flames were extinguished. The loss amounted to about \$250. Messrs. Quarles & McCurdy have charge of the dwelling, which is unoccupied.

Mr. William H. Williams, a former member of the board and a great friend of the board and a great friend of the part of the board and a great friend of the part of the board and a great friend of the part of the board and a great friend of the part of the board and a great friend of the part of the board and a great friend of the part of the board and a great friend of the part of the delight of all the teachers and both teachers and soldars.

Mr. William G. Jones, of Madison School, was also the recipient of a testimonial in the school were kindly remembered by Richmond Lodge, No. 10, International by R

## NEW MILITARY WORK

COL. H. C. JONES ISSUES IMPORTANT ORDERS FOR THE INCOMING YEAR.

The Regiment to Be Composed of Tw

Battalions-Target-Practice and

Drill Regulations, Colonel Henry C. Jones, commandant of the First Virginia regiment, has issued the following orders, which will materially affect and improve the organization in the

FIRST REGIMENT VA. VOL., INFANTRY.
RICHMOND, VA., December 22, 1891. I. Companies A. C. and E are hereby as signed to the First battalion of this regi-II. Companies B. D. and F are hereby as-

signed to the Second battalion of this regiment.

III, Major J. H. Derbyshire will command the First battalion, and in his absence the senior officer present. The senior officer of the Second battalion will

ommand it, IV. Second-Lieutenant J. H. Goode, IV. Second-Lieutenant J. H. Goode, Company A, is hereby detailed as acting adjutant First battalion. Second-Lieutenant C. M. Werne, Company D, is hereby detailed as acting adjutant Second battalion. First-Sergeant K. T. Wilson, Company C. is hereby detailed as acting sergeant-major First battalion. First-Sergeant George P. Shackleford, Company F., is hereby detailed as acting sergeant-major Second battalion.
V. Betail for Color-Guard: Corporal E. S. Gibos, Company A, and Private Walter S. Blankman, Company B. The color-guard will report to the Color-Sergeant at all battalion and regimental parades. The color-guard is assigned to the First battalion.

DEILL NIGHTS FOR THE TWO BATTALIONS. VI. The First battalion will assemble for drill January 7th, 21st, 28th, February 4th, 11th, 18th, and 25th, March 3d, 10th 17th, 24th, 3ist, April 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th at

24th, 31st, April 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th at 8:15 o'clock P. M.
VII. The Second battalion will assemble for drill January 12th, 19th, 26th, February 2d, 5th, 16th, 23d, March 1st, 8th, 15th, 22d, 29th, April 5th, 12th, 19th, and 26th at 8:15 o'clock P. M.
VIII. At all assemblies of the regiment in the drill-hali of the Armory, the formation will be by battalion in two lines. The Second battalion will be the base.
IX. The regiment will assemble for drill on January 15 and 28, 1892, at 8:15 o'clock P. M. P. M. X. The regiment will assemble February 2, March 3, and April 5, 1892, at 8:15 P. M.

2. March 3, and April 5, 1892, at 8:15 P. M. for inspection.

XI. Instruction to battalions during the month of January will be especially in formation of battalions. The firings, breaking into column of fours from the flanks, formation into line from columns of fours and platoons, and the successive formations to the right, left, and front, both in column and line. During the month of February, to change front. The advances in line of companies. In columns of fours and platoons. Formations on right or left into time or companies. In columns of fours and platoons. During the month of March, the formation into close column and the he formation into close column and the leployments. During the month of April, novements by platoons, formation of treet columns, and the evolutions of the

XII. All officers and men of this regi-ment are hereby required to fire at gallery-target thirty rounds, diminished charges between this date and April 1, 1892, under the following rules: 1, Five rounds only the following rules: 1, Five rounds only will be fired by each man at each practice. 2. An accurate score (in ink) will be kept on the form herewith turnished. 3. Hours of practice from 7:45 P. M. to 10:30 P. M. 4. Only ten men under the charge of an officer or non-commissioned officer shall occupy the range at any time. This officer or non-commissioned officer shall act as range officer. 5. Ammunition, pasters, and targets will be furnished by the ordnance officer. All empty shells and unexpended ammunition will be returned to him. 6. Gallery practice will begin on Monday, January II, 1822. On Mondays the officers and men of Comwill begin on Monday, January 11, 1892. On Mondays the officers and men of Company E, on Tuesdays the officers and men of Company E, on Wednesdays the officers and men of Company B, on Thursdays the officers and men of Company D, on Fridays the officers and men of Company A, on Saturdays the officers and men of Company A, on Saturdays the officers and men of Company C. Details for practice shall be made by the commandants of companies as provided in section 4 of this paragraph. The field staff gnd non-commissioned staff on January 15th and 28th, February 2d, March 3d, and April 5th after the regiment is dismissed.

NAW DEBLE RECOLLATIONS.

XIII. Commandants of companies will make requisition on the ordnance officer for oil, with which to oil all leather parts of accourrements and equipments. Before oiling accourrements and equipments they will be disassembled. They will not be assembled until twenty-four hours after have gold.

being oiled. XIV. The attention of officers and men Atv. The attention of officers and the sespecially called to paragraph 39, new drill regulations, which prohibits the use of the bayonet in stacking arms with rifles which have stacking swivels. Stacks can be formed with the bayonets fixed or

can be formed with the bayonets fixed of unfixed, using the swivel.

XV. The gymnasium under charge of the First Regiment Athletic Club will be onen on and after January 11, 1892. Any member of the regiment desiring to use the gyannasium will make application to the first Regiment Athletic Club in care the first Regiment Athletic Club in care
of these headquarters for membership in
the club. The initiation fee and dues for
the first year will be \$2 and the dues for
each succeeding year will be \$1.

By order of Colonel Jones,
E. A. Shepherd.

Captain and Adjutant. SOLDIERS TO BANQUET AND FROLIC.

The Richmond Howitzers will celebrate the last of the old year and the incoming of the new (December 31st) by an enter-tainment at their acmory on that night, to consist of music, dancing, and supper. The members are expected to appear in fatigue uniform.

A tanquet will be given at Zimmermann's to morrow night at 8.30 o'clock by "F"

to-morrow night at 8:30 o'clock by "F" Company. The Veteran Association will be the guests of the company.

Rev. J. Y. Downman, chaplain of the First regiment of cavairy, will preach to this command at All Saints church this morning and special music will be rendered.

The Armory will be closed during the holidays.

MR. WELCOME TEFFT MISSING. Wife Is Uneasy About Him.

Mr. Welcome Tefft who, with his wife, has resided for several months at 1914 east Franklin street, where they occupy thirdstory apartments, left home on the morning of the 18th, and nothing having been heard from him since his wife is very uneasy.

Mr. Tefft is sixty-five years of age, and

Mr. Tefit is sixty-five years of age, and came to Richmond to live in January last, and in May married Mrs. Alexander, with whom he became acquainted about eighteen months before while on a visit to this city. He was a widower, and having lost his only son while the latter was in the Union service he draws a pension of \$36 a quarter from the Government.

When he left home he had several hundred dollars in mency, his pension paper, marriage certificate, and other important documents upon his person. Before going out he paid the servant her wages and settled, the rent, but said nothing about going away, and Mrs. Tefit said to a Disparate reporter yesterday that she knew of no reason for her husband's leaving home unless it was to attend to some business in New York. She has informed Major Poe of his disappearance, and asked the aid of the authorities in ascertaining his whereabouts. She fears that he has been toully dealt with Mr. Tefft is quite tall, has gray hair, and is partially bald.

WORSHIP IN THE CHURCHES TO-DAY. Interesting Christmas Services te Be Held

by Several Congregations. The services in the various churches to-day will be of unusual interest, as many of the Episcopal choirs will repeat their Christmas programmes, while special mu-sic will be rendered in a number of other

christmas programmes, which special marks sie will be rendered in a number of other churches.

Dr. R. H. Pitt will occupy his pulpit at Venable-Street morning and evening. The morning sermon will be appropriate to the last Sunday in the closing year. The evening discourse will be the second in the series on "Last Trings," and its theme will be "Is There a Hell, and if There is Ought There to Be?" Next Sunday night the theme will be "A Look at a Lost Soul."

This series of sermons is attracting wide attention, and large audiences, consisting not only of the regular membership, but of persons from remote portions of the city, greet the preacher. Later on such themes as "The Day for Which All Other Days are Made," "With What Body Do They Come?" and "Shall We Know Each Other There?" will be discussed.

Rev. Dr. Peterson, of Trinity Methodist church, will occupy his pulpit this morning at 11 and to-night at 8 o'clock. At the torner hour he will preach on "Christ Ascended on High and Bringing Gifts Unto Men." The singing will consist of anthems and solos suited to the Christinas occasion. Miss Grace Henning is the leading soprano and will rander the solo parts. Mr. John

H. Frischkorn is the talented organist of this church.

The meeting for young men at the Young Men's Christian Association building this afternoon promises to be a very emjoyable occasion. Rev. Jabez Hall, D. D., has kindly consented to address the meeting, and appropriate music will be rendered by the famous male quartette—Messrs. William S. Henning. Horace F. Smith. D. S. Bennett, and P. F. Greenwood. Mr. Shepherd Webb will preside at the piano, and a large attendance is expected.

The Board of Directors of the Methodist Sunday-School Society will hold their regular meeting at Broad-Street church this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

FELL AND BROKE HIS ARM

The Cannon Exploded Too Soon-Other Newf Items from Manchester.

Friday afternoon a smail boy named Otto Cook, who lives about a mile from Manchester, met with a very painful accident. He was running acroes the yard and lost his footing. He fell on his left arm, fracturing that member between the elbow and the wrist.

The routh was brought to Dr. Thomas P. Mathews's office, where his arm was set and bandaged. The last reports from the little fellow were that he was resting quietly. quietly.

Willie Haynes, the thirteen-year-old son of Mr. William Haynes, who lives on Sixth and Everett streets, met with a painful accident Friday. He was firing off a small cannon and it exploded a little sooner than he expected. His face was badly burned. Dr. William P. Mathews was summoned and rendered the necessary medical attention. Yesterday morning his face was swollen to such an extent that he was unable to see.

DEATH OF MR. THOMAS HATCHER. Mr. Thomas Hatcher, a well-known farmer of Chesterfield, died Friday at his home near Dutch Gap, in the sixty-second year of his age. He was taken ill with the grip a few days ago, and gradually grew worse until death relieved him of his sufferings. The deceased was the father of Mr. Charles Hatcher, of Chesterfield, who is well known in this city.

The funerel will take place to-day from the Presbyterian church at Chester.

SANTA CLAUS AT THE CHURCHES.

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Fifth-Street Methodist church was densely crowded Friday night, the occasion being a Christmas celebration by the Sunday school. Services were opened with prayer by the pastor, Rev. T. P. Woodward, and singing by the choir. Mr. Woodward made the opening and Mr. Jones the concluding address.
Santa Claus made his appearance from the two of the chimney to the delight and

Sones the concluding andress.

Santa Claus made his appearance from the top of the chimney, to the delight and admiration of the children and audience. The gifts of candy, nuts, apples, and oranges were then distributed to all the children, teachers, and officers.

The following presents were made by the school for fidelity in the school to the persons named: Mr. W. A. Bradshaw, a fine procking-chair; Miss Carne Royall, a fine proto-lamp; Miss Estelle Bailey, a set of silver teaspoons; Mr. C. V. Green, a set of silver tenspoons; Mr. C. V. Green, a set of silver knives and forks.

Mr. W. A. Bradshaw presented to Misses Estelle Bailey and Mattie Weeks, who were members of his class, handsome presents for their punctuality, as they had not missed a Sabtath during the year.

IN THE POLICE CORET.

missed a Sabbath during the year.

IN THE POLICE COURT.

Not before in the history of Manchester were so few evil-doers before the Mayor's Court on the morning after Christmas as were there yesterday. Only four cases were before his Honor, three of which were for Christmas celebration in a disorderly manner. One of the participants was fined \$2.

Charles Swan, the keeper of an oysterhouse in this city, was charged with raf-

charles Swal, the seper of an oyser-house in this city, was charged with raf-fling off chickens and rabbits by the throwing of dice. The case was continued until Monday morning in order that the Commonwealth's Attorney might be pres-ent, when the question of raffling chickens is lawful or not in Manchester will be de-IN THE CHURCHES TO-DAY.

At the Central church this morning the pastor, Rev. W. C. Vaden, will preach a sermon appropriate to Christmas. Some select music has been arranged for the oc-The following constitute the choir: So The following constitute the endir: So-pranos—Miss Daisy Gibbs, Miss Ida Robin-son, Miss Mary B. Carr, and Miss Annie Pool: Altos—Miss Gertie Davis and Miss Lily Davis: Tenor, B. P. Vaden; Bassos— Messrs, Frank Barton, Charles Schaadt, Messrs, Frank Barton, Charles Schaadt, and J. E. Redford; Organist, Miss Daisy M. Anderson.

M. Anderson.
Rev. Paul Whitehead, presiding elder,
will preach at West-End church this morning, and the Rev. McDaniel Rucker at
night. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Services in the other churches will be onducted by their regular pastors. PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

Mrs. S. A. Morrissett, who had been quite sick for some time, is convalescent. Master Henry Beattie, who was so badly hurt several days ago by the explosion of a toy cannon, is improving. Mr. A. G. Belcher is confined to his bed

Mr. A. G. Belcher is confined to his bed with the grip.

Mrs. S. M. Garnett is quite sick at her residence, on Decatur street.

Miss Mollie A. Jackson, of Chesterfield, left last week for New York on a visit to her sister, Mrs. B. R. Irvin.

Rev. I. J. Spencer will preach his farewell sermon at the Cowardin-Avenue Christian church to-night,

Mr. William L. Baltimore and Miss Laura A. Gentry, both of Manchester, were married Christmas-eve at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. T. P. Wiss.

Misses Ciyde and Shelly Dearing are visiting Miss Robinson, on Eleventh street.

Master J. Haskin Hopkins, of Powhatan county, is spending the holidays with his friend, Master Melvin Pitt, of this city, are visiting in Baltimore.

Mrs. J. L. Broach entertained her Sabbath-school class at her residence, on Detur street, Christmas night, Retreshments were zerved to the scholars, and all spent a pleasant evening.

Rev. Dr. A. Binga, of the Birst African Baptist church of this city, was pounded by the members of his congregation on Christmas-eve night. It was a pleasant oc-casion and enjoyed by all who participated therain.

Hit by a Stray Bullet.

Yesterday afternoon about 4:15 o'clock, while Mr. A. J. Stande, who lives at 1200 west Main street, was driving down Floyd avenue in his carriage, in which were also his nurse and one of his children, and when he had nearly reached the corner of Laurel, a bullet fired from a parlor rifle struck the nurse (Susan Taylor, colored), penetrating her right arm. The bail was extracted by Dr. E. J. Mosley. There is no clue regarding who did the shooting, but it is supposed that it was accidental.

Mr. Frank H. McCue is spending the holidays at his home, in Albemarle county. Mr. Robert D. Yancey, mayor of Lynch-burg, spent Christmas-day and yesterday in Richmond. Mr. Leslie H. McCue will return to this

city in a few days and will make it his future home. He expects to engage in busi-ness here. Miss Maggie Brennan and Mr. M. J. Brennan, of Portsmouth, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Ann Brennan, No. 222 south Cherry street.

An unknown elderly white man was seen to fall off Mayo's bridge this morning about 2:30 o'clock and is supposed to have been drowned. Richmond Lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold its quarterly meeting to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Officers will be elected for the next six months.

The Christmas services at Deuny-Street church were conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Laughon, and were well attended and quite interesting. The sermon was appropriate to the occasion. Mrs. Adele O. Burnett qualified in the

Mrs. Addie O. Burnett qualified in the Chancery Court yesterday as administra-trix of the estate of her husband, Sidney G. Burnett, who was killed in a recent collision on the Chesapeake and Ohio. Secretary Dunlop, of the Chamber of Commerce, received the following telegram from Washington: "Hoist coldwave signal. Temperature will fail to below freezing by Sunday night."

"HARKINGTON."

Captain C. H. Epps's Christmas reception at his residence, on Marshall street, was attended by many city officials and other citizens. The host-entertained most bountifully, and the occasion was in every way an enjoyable one. Several other city officials also kept open houses for their friends.

friends.

At a regular meeting of Lee Lodge, No. 447, held last night Mr. G. E. Bowden was elected representative to the Grand Lodge, and Mr. W. E. Davis alternate. The Grand Lodge meets in Roanoke in March. Mr. Bowden is the District Deputy, and will instalt all the officers at the next regular meeting. This lodge is in a very prosperous condition and has a very good treasury. Old newspapers for mie at this office;

CHATTANOOGA AFIRE THE MOST DISASTROUS CONFLAGRA-

TION IN THE CITY'S HISTORY.

Three Women More or Less Injured-Loss in Dollars and Couts Half a [By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., December 26. curred to-day. D. B. Loveman & Co.'s great dry-goods house, occupying three umbers on Market street, at the southeast corner of Eighth street, was discovred to be on fire while the clerks were at their luncheon on the third floor. The flames spread with astonishing rapidity. burning through the clevator-shaft and burning through the clevator-shaft and stairways and cutting off the escape of about thirty female employees, who were rescued from vindows with the extension-ladders of the fire department, aided by citizens. Two of the women fell from windows and were somewhat injured and a third was rescued in an almost suffocated condition. The adjoining buildings were soon aflame, the fire licking up over half a million dollars in less than two hours. The fire began at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon, and by 1:30 the buildings on the north side of Eighth street were ablaze. THE BUILDINGS BURNED. The buildings burned on Market street

The buildings burned on Market street were those of D. B. Loveman & Co., dry goods; T. C. Ervin & Co., dry goods; T. C. Ervin & Co., dry goods; T. C. Ervin & Co., dry goods; Christie & Co., dry goods; Chattanoega Library Association, Chamber of Commerce; Schartz & Brother, boots and shoes; Silva & Abbott, chinaware; on Eighth street those of Wester & Manning, insurance; W. L. Alexander, broker; Charleston Fast Freight Line; Great Southern Tea Company; Tennessee, Mississippi and Ohio River Transportation Company; R. F. Dix, barber; Martin & Henry, real estate; Rowles & Ritely, insurance; Mrs. Jane Weaver, milliner; Southern Bank and Trust Company; T. A. Roberts, ieweller; T. D. Carleton, Home sewing, machine; W. B. Van Wagner, drugs; Fourth National Bank; P. S. Griffith, real estate; C. C. Anderson, real estate; Lucas & Peacock, insurance; Harris, Thomson & Gwinn, real estate. The Cherry-street end of the Loveman block was occupied by about twenty lenants of offices and about half that number occupied the second floor of the Vandeman block, which faced the Loveman block.

THE PIRE-SWEPT DISTRICT omprises 100 feet front on the southers comprises 109 feet front on the southeast corner of Market and Eighth streets and 109 feet front on the normeast corner of Market and Eighth and both sides of Eighth street between Market and Cherry streets. Four of the leading dry-goods houses were destroyed and the principal boot and shoe, crockery, and furniture houses, two banks, the public library and Chamber of Commerce rooms. Cobweb bonses, two banks, the public library and Chamber of Commerce rooms, Cobweb Club rooms, and a variety of small shope, offices, etc. The property destroyed is on the two most important corners in the city. Loveman's dry-goods house was one of the largest retail dry-goods houses in the South, there being 130 employes in this one business.

OWNERS TO REBUILD

All of the property-owners say they will rebuild handsome structures, and new quarters are already being secured by the business-houses. There was a stiff breeze blowing, otherwise the weather was clear, and it was a perfect day. All the merchants in the near vicinity suffered more or less loss by reason of the removal of goods. It appeared at one time as if the entire business portion of the city was about to be destroyed.

Knoxviile sent a fire-engine here, and it reached Cleveland, eighty-two miles from Knoxviile, in eighty-eight minutes. At Cleveland word was received that the engine was not necessary. In the afternoon a number of foreigners engaged in a fight in a boarding-house. John Cofstos's head was crushed with a stone. M. G. Burdick and Albert Durskin were also stabbed. Kofstos will die, but the others are not dangerously injured. At Homewood Daniel William was fatally stabbed by two unknown men. On the courts and Capter Martzmark

### THE TRUTH AS TO CHILE. No Warrant Whatever for Warlike Stories.

Reassuring News Received, (By telegraph to the Dispatch.) Washington, D. C., December 26.—This sthe day on which Senor Jorge Monit will be inaugurated as President of Chile. ut so far as can be learned no news o he event has been received from Minis ter Egan. There can be no doubt of the desire of thei officers of the State and Kavy Departments to allay any appro-bensions of war between the United Navy Departmentss to allay any appro-bensions of war between the United States and Chile that may have been caused by alarming newspaper publica-tions. Secretary Tracy this morning said: "Ta'k of war is all in the newspapers." The Secretary further showed some im-patience at the reiteration of warlike states, and said emphatically that they were without foundation and that there was nothing in the situation to warrant Miss Ellie Robinson, of this city, left yeaterday for Washington, where she will spend the holidays.

Dr. Thomas P. Mathews is improving rapidly and wasable to set up yesterday.

Mrs. S. A. Morrissett, who has been cased and repeated what Assistant-Secretary and repeated what Assistant-Secretary for the first proving the first proving a second repeated what Assistant-Secretary for the first province of the first province without foundation and that there was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance. He called attention to warrant their acceptance. He called attention to warrant their acceptance without foundation and that there was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance. He called attention to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance. He called attention to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance. He called attention to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance. He called attention to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance. He called attention to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant was nothing in the situation to warrant their acceptance was nothing in the situation to warrant was nothing in the situation to warrant was nothing in the situation to warrant was nothing in the situation to warrant

raiso, had sailed tromptly for Sail Francisco, and repeated what Assistant-Secretary Soley had previously said—that "not a single vessel of the navy is now under orders to proceed to Chile."

Mr Soley was subsequently asked to explain the departure of the Charleston from Honolulu for Valosraiso on the 17th, as reported from the Hawaiian is a day a timeported from the Hawaiian Is ands, a in reply said that he did not believe the charleston had taken any such course, and that he was sure she was not going to Chile. The officials at the State Department were non-committal as to the news, but took such an optimistic view of the situation as to warrant the belief (strengthened by the fact that Secretaries Blaine and Tracy have been to-day in consultation with the President) that some news of a most reassuring character has been received from the American representative in Chile.

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THE 'PRISCO AND THE CHARLESTON—WHERE AWAZ?

San Francisco, December 26.—The cruiser San Francisco, flagship of the Pacific squadron, with Rear-Admirai George Brown on board, put to sea from this port this afternoon. It was stated that the cruiser might put into Monterey bay for gun-practice, but the fact that the cruiser has an unusually large quantity of guns and ammunition aboard, added to the fact that a number of sailors and marines left here on the Pacific Mail Company's steamer San Jose last Wednesday for Acapulco, where it is understood they will be drafted into the cruiser Charleston's crew when she arrives from Honoliu, leads to the belief that the San Francisco is on her way to join the Charleston at Acapulco, whence both vessels will proceed to Chile.

### GEN. W. RAYMOND LEE DEAD. He Had Reason to Remember Eichmond His Military Record.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

Bostos, Mass., December 26.—General W, Raymond Lee died this morning; aged eighty-seven. He leaves two daughters, who are at present in Washington, D. C., but have been notified of their father's death. General Lee was a graduate of West Point, served in the Mexican war and in the corps of engineers, United States army. In 1861 he was commissioned colonel of the Twentieth Massachusetts infantry and was captured at Ball's Bluff and confined for months as a hostage in the Richmond jail. Upon his release he returned to Boston, and in 1863 was appointed by Governor Andrew chief engineer, with the rank of brigadier-general, on his staff. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.

## THE GRIP IN MONTREAL.

It Claims a Thousand Victims-New Symp toms Now Developed. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

MONTHEAL, December 26.—La grippe has a firm foot-bold in Montreal and now claims 1,000 cases. It affects its victims in a way different from that which has obtained heretofore, producing pains in the stomach and healache, followed by weakness in the lower limbs, but the attack only lasts in most cases from four days to two weeks. The street-ailway company, the police force, and the fire brigade are the biggest sufferers. Out of 375 men on the police force 55 are laid up with it.

An Insane Asylum Burned. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.) PONTIAC, MICH., December 26.—A fire broke out in the north wing of the insane asylum at 11 o'clock to-day and is still burning. The flames, fanned by a heavy north wind, are rapidly reaching the centre of the building, and it will be a miracle if the whole structure is not destroyed. Assistance has been asked for from Detroit and other neighboring towns. The inmates of the north wing were removed with great difficulty.

ALL OF THE INMATES SAYED. un rises..... MINIATURE ALMANAC, DECEMBER 28, 1891. Sun rises 7:26 High Tips.
Sun rises 4:58 Morning 2:15
Moon rises 5:10 Evening 2:41 PORT OF RICHMOND, DECEMBER 26, 1891. Steamer Ariel, Dayo, Norfolk, merchandise nd passengers; L. B. Tatum, vice-president. ALL OF THE INMATES BAVED. PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, DEC. 26, 1891.

DEFROIT, MICH., December 26.—Reports from the insane asylum fire at Pontine are meagre as to particulars, but it is said all of the 400 immates are saved. The last reports are that the whole structure is doomed. The loss will be about \$750,000 to the State. Steamship Pers, New York. PORT OF WEST POINT, DECEMBER 26, 1891.

A Fratricide Dies in Prison.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

Concord, N. H., December 26.—Isaac Sawtelle, who murdered his brother Hiram, died of apoptery in his cell at the State prison this morning.

In response to a sentiment that has rapidly become a fixed conviction in the minds of many citizens of Concord that the death of Sawtelle resulted from noison.

Mayor Clapp this afternoon advised Prison-Physician Clark to make a careful investi-gation to ascertain whether the widely-carculated rumor has any foundation in fact, and this Dr. Clark intends to do. Sawtelle was to have been hanged January 5, 1892.

THE BRUSHES WITH GARZA.

I Losses on Both Sides.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

Sr. Louis, December 26.—A special from Laredo, Tex., says the news to-day from the seat of trouble is to the effect that more fighting has been engaged in with slight losses on both sides. Last night it was reported that the revolutionists had captured Camargo, and that General Saudival was on the march with 2,000 men to join Garza. There is some talk to the effect that a general in the Mexican army has declared for the revolutionists and will march with the soldiers in his command to join the invaders. These reports are all very meagre and cannot be traced to any particular source, but there are those who credit the rumors.

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CHRISTMAS CASUALTIES

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A Tramp Arrested at Augusta, Ga.-Sus-

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[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

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A FIGHT WITH PRISONERS.

Plucky Resistance of a Sheriff and His

Wife-The Sheriff's Wounds.

FIGHT WITH A TRAIN-ROBBER.

One Officer of the Law Killed and Two

the Robbers' Gang Wounded. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

Southern Pacific at Alila, in Tulare county,

"Knocking-Out" Matches No Go.

The Field Lunacy Case

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

(By telegraph.)

BAILED.

troops.

this morning and reached Shubuta, Miss., at 6 o'clock. At half-past 9 the soldiers were en route for the scene of action in Choctaw county, Ala., twenty-one miles distant. A very heavy rain provailed all yesterday forenoon and part of the night, The roads are very bad. The weather turned wintry during the night. The detachment has a six-pounder field nice and turned wintry during the night. The detachment has a six-pounder field-piece and every man is armed. The Colonel of the regiment, also the Chaplain and the Assistant-Surgeon, are with the command. WHAT WILL BE DONE WITH GARZA'S MEN IN

WHAT WILL BE DONE WITH GARZA'S MES IN CATCHT?

WASHINGTON, December 28.—Major-General Schofield has received through the Mexican Minister, Senor Romero, official dispatches confirmatory of the report of an ongagement between Captain Bourke and a detachment of Garza's band of revolutionists. General Schofield says that if captured Garza's men will be indicted individually for violation of the neutrality laws and for murder, as they fired upon and killed a United States soldier. The dispatches were referred to the Attorney-General for such action as he might deem necessary. When asked about it to-day Attorney-General Miller said that all persons offending against the law will be prosecuted, but that it is always necessary to "first catch your hare." A special messenger for the Mobile Register got into De Soto from the scene of action this forenoon at 10 o'clock. He brings advices up to 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, as follows: Sheriff Gavin on Christman morning sent to Bladen Springs for a cannon. When Sims Leard of this preparation to blow his stronghold to splinters, he looked at his women-folk and his heart misgave him. He began a parley with the Sheriff. At 2 o'clock he said he would surrender if the posse would do him no injury and would protect him from mob violence. A meeting of the posse was held, which lasted more-than two hours. There was great excitement and much diversity of opinion. At first the proposition was flatly refused, but the fact that there were women in the house was a strong point in favor of mercy to the inmates. The thought of shooting with cannon into a house harboring women was so repugnant that it overcame the almost wild longing for the blood of the male outlaws, so that at last the terms of Sims were accepted. GARZA'S HOPES CLOUDED.

RIO GRANDE, TEX., December 26.—The main body of the revolutionists, pursued by Lieutenant Langhorne, rode through without stopping to where Garza was, near the Randodo ranche, in Zapata county, and reported the occurrence to him of the killing of Edstrom. Garza is reported to have said that their action in attacking the troops of this Government placed a quietus on his hopes of revolution against Mexico, inasmuch as he now had no asylum when pursued by Mexican troops.

THE SIMSES SURRENDER-A SURPRISE. At half-past 4 o'clock the Simses laid down their arms and came out of the house. down their arms and came out of the house. The posse were astonished to see that instead of seven desperate outlaws there were only two men and a boy—as follows: Bob Sims, Thomas Savage, and young Savage, the nephew of Sims. Four women—Bob's wife and three daughters—came out also. The men were at once ironed and placed in a wagon. The women were placed in a second wagon and under gnard. At 5 o'clock the procession started for Butler, the county-seat of Choctaw county. Sheriff Gavin commanded silence, fearing that should any words be spoken his men might become angry and kill their prisoners. Neighborhood.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

Nashville, Tenn., December 26.—There was about the usual number of casualties in this vicinity Christmas.day. At Tuliahoma, Tenn. Miss Belle Peliam, a beautiful young lady, seventeen years of age, was accidentally shot and killed by James Tucker. At Murfreestoro' Alexander Sandford was horribly butchered by Joe Eucker in a street fight. In northern Nashville Allen Johnson was shot and instantly killed by Porter Hayes. prisoners.

THE OUTLANS LYNCHED.

Mobile, Ala., December 26—Later.—
While the posse in charge of the Sims party
were en route to Butler last night a mob of
Choctaw men everpowered the posse and
hanged the three men, Bob Sims, Tom
Savage, and young Savage, It is reported
that another of the Savage boys was hanged
at the same time. This is in addition to
John Savage, who was hanged Christmaseve. PITTSBURG'S CHIMINAL RECORD.

PITTSBURG, December 26. — Pittsburg's
Christmas criminal record was broken yesterday. Blood flowed freely as the result of
dranken carousals, and at least four pro-

> Fatal Railway Accident. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
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> Marquette, Mich., December 26.—A collision occurred at 8:30 A. M. to-day between two freight trains on the Duluth. South Shore and Atlantic railway, by which two men were instantly killed and a third fatally injured.

fatally stabbed by two unknown men.

On the south side Casper Martzmark was beaten with a club and jumped upon by John Yanoskie. He is unconscious and not expected to live.

The fourth affray occurred on the steamer John Dippold. William Chadwick, a deck hand, was stabbed six times by Engineer William Collins. Chadwick's condition is serious.

Two cases of self-destruction were also reported. Bertha Berger, a servant girl, hung herself and John Smith jumped into the river and was drowned. By telegraph to the Dispatch. WASHINGTON, D. C., December FAIR 26.-Forecast for Virginia: Fair weather Sunday and Monday and much colder. The temperaure will

much colder. The temperature will fall about 30 degree by Sunday night; high northwest winds.

For North Carolina: Fair weather Sunday and Mondsy, preceded by showers in eastern portion; colder north winds, with a cold wave.

The weather in Richmond Yesternday was cloudy and rainy in the morning and night, followed by a fall in temperature and clearness at night. The indications at midnight pointed to pleasant weather for

Jacksonville, Fla., December 26.—An Augusta (Ga.) special to the Ecening Telegram says: A tramp giving the mans of Dorsey is under arrest here on suspicion of boing the New Smyrna (Fla.) murderer. He was arrested as a vagrant, but circum stances warranted holding him. He was in Florida at the time the murder was committed and says he had been working within two miles of New Smyrna. Dorsey wears a No. 8 boot with oox toes. The outside edge of the heel makes a much deeper indentation than the inside one, and the wearer is quite perceptibly bow-legged. Since he has been in custody a published description of the crime was read to him midnight pointed to pleasant weather for Range of the thermometer at the frontdescription of the crime was read to him in the presence of two or more persons, in the presence of two or more persons, who watched him closely. He showed great nervousness and agitation, when the more graphic portions of the horrible crime were reached and after the reading he was silent and moody and refused to talk. Florida officers have started for



# ONE ENJOYS

Wife-The Sheriff's Wounds.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

OLATHE, KIN., December 25.—The prisoners in the county jail in this city made an attempt last night to kill Sheriff Easdale and escape, but were prevented by the timely appearance of Mrs. Easdale, who locked the outside doors, and the pluck of the Sheriff, who was on the inside locked up and fighting for life with six of the priceners. When assistance reached him it was found that the Sheriff had three long gashes in the head, one just below the right eye, and another on the left cheek. The wounds were dressed, and he rests easy to-day. Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, head-aches and fevers and cures habitual (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

Frgsno, Cal., December 25.—Grattan Dalton, the fugitive train-robber who escaped from Visalia jail last September, was overtaken by officers in the mountains yesterday, and in a desperate fight one of the officers was killed and two of the robber-gang were wounded. Dalton escaped unburt. He was convicted of robbing the Southern Pacific at Abla in Tulars county. constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and ac-ceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most

"Knocking-Out" Matches No Go.

18y telegraph to the Dispatch.]

New Yors, December 26.—Superintendent-of-Police Murray announced to-day that as attempts had been made to get up in this city so-called "knocking-out" matches, which were prevalent some time ago but which were stamped out, be intends to prevent the contests between Mitchell and Corbett and between Maher and Dempsey in the fashion proposed. The Superintendent says be cannot and does not desire to prohibit sparring matches, but prize-fighting he will stop. popular remedy known. Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, M.W. (ja 1-Su, W(w) & Flotptcofr)

The Field Lunary Case.

(By tolegraph to the Dispatch.)

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., December 28.—At the special term of the Supreme Court Judge Dykman to-day ratified and confirmed the findings of the jury and inquisition which on Wednesday last adjudged Edward M. Field to be insane. His wife, Cjars I. Field, was appointed to take charge of his personal and landed estate.

THE BAN ATEMENT.

NEW YORK, Decemb 5.—Weekly bank statements: Reserve, im 5.—Weekly bank statements; Breakle, \$558,400; deposits, increase, \$5,768,300; deculation, increase, \$15,100. The banks now hold \$19,483.—025 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per PINANCIAL \$5,000 TO LEND ON IM-cent. CHARLES A. ROSE, Real Estate and Loans, No. 11 Tenth street.

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MARRIAGES. GORE—COLEMAN.—Married, in Richmond, Va., on December 24th, at the rost dence of Mr. A. Pasedag, Mr. JOHN B. GORE, of Baltimore, Md., to Mias NAN. NIE M. COLEMAN, formerly of Pittayl.

Vania county, Va.

Danville and Norfolk (Va.) papers pleas KAY-DISHMAN.—Married, December 23, 1821, at the residence of Rev. M. F. Sanford, in Crewe, Va., Mr. W. M. KAY to Miss CHRISSIE R. DISHMAN, both of Richmond, and will make Richmond their

future home. BICE-PATMON.-Married at the rest dence of the bride's parents, in this city, on the 22d instant, by Rev. S. C. Clopton, Mr. ROBERT L. RICE and Miss Vin-GINIA A. PATMON.

EHARP-LANE. - Married, in Richmond, Va., December 23d, at the home of the bride, on Jay street, by Rev. R. H. Pitt, Mr. DAVID R. SHARP and Miss ANNIE M. LANE.

EDVACE

BALDWIN.-Died, at the residence of her husband, No. 416 Twenty-eighth street, December 23th, at 11:50 P. M., Mrs. MARY BELLE BALDWIN. Interment at Amelia Courthouse THIS (Sunday) AFTERNOON at half-past 4

BEATTIE — Died, on Saturday, December 26, 1891, THOMAS JOHNSTON BEATTIE, enly child of Harry C, and Annie M. Beattie; aged two years one month and twelve days.

Funeral from his father's residence on the Hermitage road, in Henrico county, THIS (Sunday) EVENING at 2:30 o'clock, Interment at Hollywood.

Kentucky papers please copy.

BLENIS.—Died, at her residence, 1426 east Main street, December 26th, at 5:40 P. M., Mrs. M. A. BLENIS, in the seventy-first year of her age, after seventeen years of constant suffering, which she bore with

patient resignation God called her away. She is now with the blessed. She has crossed the dark river And gone to her rest. Sad hearts are now grieving,
For death it has chilled,
The heart that they loved
Forever is stilled.

Patient 'neath suffering,
For hard was her cross,
She well earned her crown,
Though we now mourn her loss. The funeral will take place from the home of the deceased at 3 o'clock P. M. MONDAY, December 28th. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend without further notice. Interment at Hollywood. CAMPODONICO.—Died, December 25th, at 5 A. M., at her parents' residence, LOU-ISE B. CAMPODONICO, widow of Frank Campodonico and eldest daughter of Joseph and Madeline Sledd, in her fortieth

She leaves three children and five sisters

huren. Baltimore and Norfolk papers please copy. CASEY.—Died, December 25th, at 11 A. M., CHARLES H., son of W. J. and Ellen Casey; aged four years and ten months.

"Death should come Gently to one of gentle mould, like then, As light winds, wandering through groves

of bloom,
Detach the delicate bloss as from the tree.
Close thy sweet eyes camly, and without And we will trust in God to see thee yet

DAVIS.—Died, at St. Sophia's Home, Richmond, Va. December 24th, at 8 P. M., MARGARET A. DAVIS, widow of William E. Davis, Sr., in the sixty-ufth year of her age.
Funeral took place from the above December 26th, 1891, at 2 P. M.
Petersburg, Norfolk, and Philadelphia papers please copy.

DEGENRING.—Died, Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, December 26, 1891, at 606 east Broad street, LEONORA, eldest daughter of August and Lena Ruppert and wife of of August and Lona Ruppert and wife of Charles E. Degenring.
The funeral will take place from St. John's German Lutheran church MONDAY AFTERNOON, December 28, 1891, at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

Baltimore and Washington papers please

ESCHERICH.—Died, at his residence, No. 2901 east Main street, at 2:30 A. M., December 25th, CHARLES ESCHERICH, beloved husband of Josephine Escherich, in the thirty-fifth year of his age.

Deceased leaves a wife and three children to mourn their loss. He was a native of Landsberg, Beyarn, Germany.

His funeral took place Saturday at 2 P. M. from St. Mary's German Catholic church, corner Fourth and Marshall streets.

GARRETT —Died. December 21, 1891, at topy.

GARRETT.—Died, December 21, 1891, at 3 P. M., Mrs. MARY E. GARRETT, be-loved wife of L. B. Garrett, in the thirty-second year of her age. Funeral services from Olive-Branch church, Toano, Va., December 23d.

HATCHER.—Died, at his residence, De-cember 25, 1891, of la grippe, T. C. HATCHER, in the sixty-second year of his

KIRKPATRICK .- Died, yesterday, at the

year of her age.
Funeral from the Second Presbyterian church THIS (Sunday) AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Funeral services from Dr. Hoge's on SUNDAY the 17th instant at 2 of P. M. Friends and acquaintances to attend. Interment at Shocker

GOLDSMITH.—Died, at 11:05 P. M., December 24th, at the residence of E. Bottigheimer, 119 east Leigh street, Mrs. JANET GOLDSMITH, wife of Joseph Goldsmith; Funeral SUNDAY MORNING at 11

residence of James P. Scott, No. 5 south Third street, Miss NANNIE JELLIS KIRK-PATRICK, daughter of the late Rev. John and Jane M. Kirkpatrick, in the sixty-first

McCOOK.—Died, December 25, 1891, at 8:46 A. M., GEORGE ARMSTRONG, youngest son of Joshus P. and Georgiana McCook; aged five years and nine months. The tuneral took place yesterday from the residence, 1807 Cedar street.

the residence, 1807 Cedar street.

REDFORD.—Died. Friday afternoon, December 25th, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John H. Knowles, Jr., 1818 Floyd avenue, Mrs. ISABELLA REDFORD, in the eightein year of her age.

Funeral from Centenary Methodise church SUNDAY AFTERNOON, December 7th, at 8:30. Her friends and sequaintances and those of her son, Mr. C. E. E. L. Conditions of the control o

SHUTTE.—Died, Friday morain o'clock, at the residence of her No. 550 Brook avenus, GRAOI BETH, youngest child of Lous Emma J. Shutte; aged twelve me Her funeral took place yestes o'clock P. M. from 88, Mary's Catholic church.

Our Margan or Investment, to largest such of the Montgomery (Ala.) and Campaign of the Campaig

age.
Funeral will take place at the Presbyte-rian church at Chester TO-DAY (December 27, 1831). Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend.